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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EIND, EINV, EAID, IR

SUBJ: IRANIAN ASSISTANCE FOR FERTILIZER PRODUCTION

MINISTER OF ECONOMICS AND FINANCE HOUSHANG ANSARY WAS QUOTED IN BOTH TEHRAN ENGLISH LANGUAGE PAPERS ON NOVEMBER 11 AS STATING IRAN WOULD ASSIST COUNTRIES IN INDIAN OCEAN AREA TO CONSTRUCT FERTILIZER PLANTS AS WAY OF HELPING EASE THE WORLD FOOD SHORTAGE. ANSARY SAID ORDERS TO ASSIST IN FERTILIZER PRODUCTION HAD COME DIRECTLY FROM SHAH. HE TERMED IRAN'S WILLINGNESS TO ASSIST IN AUGMENTING FERTILIZER PRODUCTION IN REGION AS "FIRST STEP" TOWARDS SUPPORT OF INTERNATIONAL MEASURES TO REMOVE FERTILIZER BOTTLENECK TO INCREASED FOOD PRODUCTION. MINISTER QUALIFIED BLANKET OFFER OF ASSISTANCE ONLY BY CALLING FOR "SERIOUS AND USEFUL" FERTILIZER PROJECT PROPOSALS FROM RECIPIENT COUNTRIES.

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